

Agenda

County Council
Thursday, May 22, 2008
Banneker Room
11:00 a.m.

Legislative Session

Day #6

Approve Capital and Operating Budgets and set tax rate

Final Consideration

Council Bill No. 28-2008 – To authorize and empower Howard County, Maryland, to borrow up to \$120,833,603 on its full faith and credit, and issue and sell its bonds therefor, to be used to pay costs of certain County capital projects (including bridge projects, general county projects, storm drainage projects, school system projects, fire and rescue projects, road construction projects, roadside and sidewalk projects, a library project, community college projects, parks and recreation projects, intersection improvements projects and a community renewal project), which are specified and described in the County's 2009 Capital Budget (including, without limitation, borrowings for certain capital projects previously authorized in calendar year 2004, and to pay costs of issuance of such bonds

Council Bill No. 29-2008 – To authorize and empower Howard County, Maryland, to borrow up to \$13,950,000 on its full faith and credit, and issue and sell its bonds therefor, to be used to pay costs of certain County education capital projects, as more particularly described in the County's 2009 Capital Budget (including, without limitation, borrowings for one of such capital projects previously authorized in 2004, and to pay costs of issuance of such bonds

Council Bill No. 30-2008 – To authorize and empower Howard County, Maryland, to borrow up to \$19,101,000 on its full faith and credit, and issue and sell its bonds therefor, to be used to pay costs of certain County bridge, road construction and intersection improvements capital projects specified and described in the County's 2009 Capital Budget (including, without limitation, borrowings for certain of such capital projects previously authorized in 2004) and to pay costs of issuance of such bonds

Council Bill No. 31-2008 – To authorize and empower Howard County, Maryland, to borrow up to \$144,569,618 on its full faith and credit, and issue and sell its bonds therefor, to be used to pay costs of certain County water and sewer capital projects, as described in the County's 2009 Capital Budget (including, without limitation, borrowings for certain water and sewer projects previously authorized in 2004), and to pay costs of issuance of such bonds

Council Bill No. 32-2008 – AN ACT to authorize and empower Howard County, Maryland to borrow, on its full faith and credit, up to \$63,000,000 from the Maryland Water Quality Financing Administration (the "Administration"), and to issue and sell its installment bonds to the Administration, the proceeds thereof to be used to pay costs of Capital Project No. S-6214 (Sewer Contingency Fund), as described in the County's 2009 Capital Budget, and to pay all related costs

Council Bill No. 43-2008 – Adopting the current expense budget and the capital budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2008 and ending June 30, 2009, to be known as the Annual Budget and Appropriation Ordinance of Howard County, Fiscal 2009

Council Bill No. 44-2008 – Amending the Pay Plan for Howard County; establishing pay rates for certain employees; adding and amending certain classification titles and pay grades; removing certain provisions related to certain awards; adding or amending certain specialty pays and longevity steps; making certain technical corrections; providing for the application of this Act; and generally relating to the Pay Plan for Howard County

Council Resolution No. 41-2008 – Approving the Capital Program for Howard County for Fiscal Years 2010 through 2014 and the Extended Capital Program for Fiscal Years 2015 through 2018

Council Resolution No. 42-2008 – Approving the Fiscal Year 2009 operating budget for the Howard Community College and indicating appropriations for major functional categories

Council Resolution No. 43-2008 – Approving the County's portion of the Fiscal Year 2009 budget for the Department of Libraries and indicating appropriations for object classes

Council Resolution No. 44-2008 – Setting forth the Fiscal Year 2009 Operating Budget for the Howard County Board of Education

Council Resolution No. 45-2008 – Approving schedules for charges pertaining to the Metropolitan District and to water and sewer service

Council Resolution No. 46-2008 – Approving schedules of fees for the functions regulated by the Department of Public Works

Council Resolution No. 47-2008 – Approving a schedule of fees for the collection of refuse in Howard County

Council Resolution No. 48-2008 – Approving schedules of fees, fines and charges for functions regulated by the Howard County Department of Inspections, Licenses and Permits

Council Resolution No. 49-2008 – Approving schedules of fees and charges for functions regulated or administered by the Department of Planning and Zoning

Council Resolution No. 50-2008 – Adopting fees for Fire Prevention Services

Council Resolution No. 51-2008 – Adopting a schedule of fees for functions regulated by the Department of Finance, including a schedule of fees for parking meter rates

Council Resolution No. 52-2008 – Approving schedules of fees and rates for functions regulated and administered by the Department of Police

Council Resolution No. 53-2008 – Approving schedules of fees for functions regulated by the Health Department

Council Resolution No. 54-2008 – Approving fee and rate schedules for:

- (1) Applying for approval of an industrial development revenue bond or MIDFA bond or loan;
- (2) Solicitor and Peddler Identification Card;
- (3) Weekend Prisoners - Room and board;
- (4) Prisoner - Health care provider fee;
- (5) Participation in work release program;
- (6) Participation in home detention program;
- (7) Marriage license fee charge for funding of domestic violence programs;
- (8) Annual registration of trespass towing companies and maximum rates to be charged by trespass towing services;
- (9) Fee and specifications for transcripts of administrative proceedings; and
- (10) Reproduction of public records

Council Resolution No. 55-2008 – Approving schedules of fines and penalties for violations of and administrative costs related to enforcement of Howard County's parking laws, including administrative handling fees for parking citations and citations under the automated red light enforcement program

Council Resolution No. 56-2008 – Levying a tax on certain admissions and amusements, establishing classes of admissions and amusements, setting tax rates on different classes, and providing for certain exemptions from the tax

Council Resolution No. 57-2008 – Imposing a recordation tax on instruments of writing that convey title to or create or give notice of a security interest in real property, or that create or give notice of a security interest in personal property, and that are recorded with the Clerk of the Circuit Court

Council Resolution No. 58-2008 – Adopting the schedule of rates for the Building Excise Tax

Council Resolution No. 59-2008 – Levying Fire and Rescue tax rates beginning July 1, 2008

Council Resolution No. 60-2008 - Levying a property tax for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2008 and ending June 30, 2009; setting the tax rates for property; and providing for the collection of the property tax